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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: **Junichi ISHIMINE et al.**

Art Unit: **2835**

Application Number: **10/662,815**

Examiner: **Gregory D. Thompson**

Filed: **September 16, 2003**

Confirmation Number: **1108**

For: **PACKAGE STRUCTURE, PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARD  
MOUNTED WITH THE SAME, ELECTRONIC APPARATUS  
HAVING THE PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARD**

Attorney Docket Number: **031184**  
Customer Number: **38834**

**SECOND FORMAL REQUEST FOR NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE**

**Mail Stop Issue Fee**

December 12, 2007

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a formal request for a Notice of Allowance to be issued in the above-identified application.

A Notice of Allowability was issued in this application on August 21, 2006. This Notice of Allowability did not include a Notice of Allowance having a proper date for paying the Issue Fee. In response to numerous telephone calls to the Examiner, a Supplemental Notice of Allowability was issued on October 4, 2006 (also without a Notice of Allowance). In addition, another Notice of Allowability was issued on June 21, 2007 (also without a Notice of Allowance).

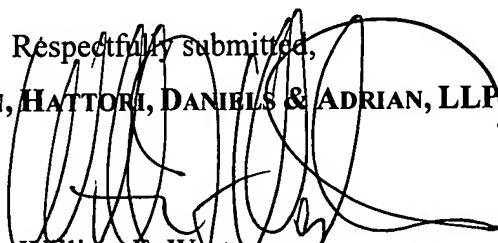
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Second Formal Request for Notice of Allowance  
Attorney Docket No.: 031184

In none of these papers was there a Notice of Allowance. It is respectfully requested that a Notice of Allowance properly be issued in this application, so that an Issue Fee may be paid and that this case may be passed onto issue.

If this paper is not timely filed, Applicants respectfully petition for an appropriate extension of time. The fees for such an extension or any other fees that may be due with respect to this paper may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,  
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